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**SUBJECT: 10540 – Signature Bank
New York, NY – In Receivership
Closing Date: March 12, 2023
Claims Bar Date: July 17, 2023**

NOTICE TO DISCOVERED CLAIMANT TO PRESENT PROOF OF CLAIM

Dear Claimant:

On March 12, 2023 (the "Closing Date"), the **New York State Department of Financial Services** closed Signature Bank (the "Failed Institution") and appointed the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") as Receiver (the "Receiver").

The Receiver has discovered that you may have a claim against the Failed Institution. If you do not have a claim against the Failed Institution, please disregard this notice.

Published Notice/Claims Bar Date: The Receiver has published a notice in one or more newspapers stating that the Failed Institution was closed and that any claims against the Failed Institution must be filed **on or before July 17, 2023** (the "Claims Bar Date").

How to File Your Claim: In order for the Receiver to consider your claim you must submit the properly completed Proof of Claim Form along with the supporting documentation to the Receiver by the Claims Bar Date. You may submit your claim on-line, by mail, or by fax.

Please visit <https://resolutions.fdic.gov/claimsportal/s/> to file a claim online and for other helpful services you can perform electronically. When possible, it is recommended that claims be submitted to the FDIC on-line.

If you choose to file your claim via the mail, it is recommended that you send it by U.S. certified mail or a commercial delivery service that can provide you with a receipt of delivery.

To fax a claim you should contact a claims agent at the telephone number listed at the bottom of this letter to obtain a fax number.

Your claim must be filed with the Receiver on or before the Claims Bar Date.

Filing After the Claims Bar Date: Failure to file your claim on or before the Claims Bar Date will result in disallowance by the Receiver and the disallowance will be final. 12 U.S.C. 1821(d)(5)(C)(i).

Time for Receiver to Determine Your Claim: The Receiver has 180 days from the date it receives your claim to determine whether to allow or to disallow your claim.

If Your Claim is Disallowed or You Do Not Receive a Timely Notice of Disallowance: Pursuant to 12 U.S.C. Section 1821(d)(6), if the Receiver notifies you of the disallowance of your claim or if you do not receive a notice of disallowance on or before the end of the 180-day period, you have the right to file a lawsuit on your claim (or continue any lawsuit commenced before the appointment of the Receiver). Your lawsuit must be filed within 60 days after the date of the notice of disallowance by the Receiver OR within 60 days after the end of the 180-day period, **whichever is earlier**. You must file your lawsuit either in the United States District (or Territorial) Court for the District where the Failed Institution's principal place of business was located or in the United States District Court for the District of Columbia. The Receiver will not consent or agree to further administrative review of your disallowed claim. 12 U.S.C. 1821(d)(7)(A).

Lawsuits: If you do not file a lawsuit (or continue any lawsuit commenced before the appointment of the Receiver) before the end of the 60-day period, the disallowance of your claim will be final and you will have no further rights or remedies with respect to your claim. 12 U.S.C. Section 1821(d)(6)(B)(ii).

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If you have any questions about this letter, please contact an FDIC Claims Agent at (972) 761-8677 or refer to the FDIC's website at www.fdic.gov.

FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION,
AS RECEIVER FOR Signature Bank

Enclosures: Proof of Claim Form, Instructions

Instructions for filing Form FDIC 7200/19, Proof of Claim, and Supporting Documentation

INSTRUCTIONS: The following fields **MUST** be completed in order for your Proof of Claim (POC) to be considered. (The numbers correspond with those located on the Proof of Claim.)

1. **SSN/TAX ID NO.** The Claimant's tax identification number (if a company) or his/her Social Security Number (if an individual).
2. **NAME OF PERSON COMPLETING THE PROOF OF CLAIM.** Self-explanatory.
3. **NAME OF THE CLAIMANT.** This is the person or entity actually making the claim. This may be you or another person or entity on whose behalf you are authorized to file the claim.
4. **AMOUNT OF CLAIM.** The dollar amount of the claim.
5. **DESCRIPTION OF CLAIM.** Detailed description of what is being claimed (e.g., the invoice number, type of service being claimed, account number, etc.). Additional information may be attached.
6. **SIGNATURE.** The signature of the person completing the POC. Include your title if you are filing this POC on behalf of the Claimant.
7. **DATE.** Date the form is signed.
8. **FIRM.** If you are filing this POC on behalf of the Claimant, include the name of your company or firm, if applicable.
9. **ADDRESS.** The address (including City, State, and ZIP code) of the individual completing this POC.
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